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International English Language Olympiad for Universities 2025, Jordan, 4<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> December 2025

I am forwarding herewith a copy of the communication No. FA/ME/JOR/01/VOL XXIII dated 04.03.2025 sent by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Foreign Employment and Tourism regarding the above (Annexure I).

02. Accordingly, you are kindly requested to disseminate the enclosed information among relevant Authorities/ Parties under the purview of your University / Institute.

Sasika Liyanage

Director (Overseas Education)

for Secretary



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Attn - Director / Overseas Education



International English Language Olympiad for Universities 2025, Jordan, 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> December 2025

Please find forwarded herewith a Note Verbale No CUL-4-305 dated 26.02.2025 received from the Embassy of Jordan in New Delhi forwarding a sealed cover containing original letter no. 1978 dated 16.02.2025 received from the Ministry of Education of Jordan addressed to the Ministry of Education of Sri Lanka, regarding the above Olympiad which is scheduled to be held from  $4^{th} - 6^{th}$  December 2025 in Jordan. (Annex I)

The deadline for registration through the link indicated in the attached letter is 27th September, 2025.

Forwarded for necessary action, please.

Director / Middle East

for Secretary / Foreign Affairs, Foreign Employment and Tourism

Embassy of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan New Delthi

Ref: CUL-4-305 Date: 26/2/2025

The Embassy of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan in New Delhi presents its compliments to the High Commission of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka in New Delhi, and has the honour to attach herewith a letter of invitation from Ministry of Education of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan to the Ministry of Education of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka to participate in (The International English Language Olympiad for Universities 2025) which will be held in Jordan during the period 4-6/12/2025.

The Embassy requests the assistance of the esteemed High Commission to forward the attachment to its destination.

The Embassy of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the High Commission of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka in New Delhi the assurances of its highest consideration.



High Commission of Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka New Delhi, Republic of India

The Ministry of Education - Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, esteemed

Subject: Invitation to participate in the International English Language Olympia Universities 2025 - The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan Your Excellence,

The ministry of education in the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan is honored to extended the invention of the International English language Olympia Universities to the public and private universities in your country to participate in the International English Language Olympia (ELO Uni) 2025. ELO will be held in the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan from Dec 4th to Dec 6th, 2025 Under the theme of (sport).

Kindly note that the participating teams will have to pay for traveling and accommodation that will be organized by the ELO management, in addition to the registration fees. The Olympia administration will arrange hotel accommodation and transportation with the concerned authorities.

For more information, kindly follow Instructions provided in the attached documents. All information can be obtained through either the International English Language Olympia website https://elo.international/uni or by contacting them via following mobile number +962 79 900 5044 and E-mail address info@elo.international.

Please note that the deadline for registration is Sept 27th, 2025.

To register, please follow the link: https://elo.international/uni/elo-uni-registration/ to download ELO Booklet, please follow the link

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Your Sincerely: Minister of Higher Education & Scientific Research

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Messrs: The Ministry of Education - Democratic Sociaslist Republic of Sri Lanka, esteemed

Subject: Inviting public and private universities to participate in

the English Language Olympia 2025 - the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan.

ELO Greetings,

At the outset, the administration of the International English Language Olympia presents you with its best regards.

- We acknowledge and appreciate your concerns towards education in Sri Lanka for providing everything that is useful and would enhance the concept of education and learning to build a promising and distinguished generations.
- The participatory premise is towards the development of education directed to them and their involvement in the local and global community, as well as the search for common denominators that combine different cultures through joint educational activities.

We are honored, through your kind ministry, to invite public and private universities in Sri Lanka to participate in this global educational carnival, which attracts universities from the countries of the Middle East and the world to compete in the International English Language Olympia 2025.

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ELO Uni aims at developing students' language acquisition, skills capacity building, finding a presenting solutions to creative projects, analysis, community service and teamwork abilities Jordan

### ELO Uni Main Pillars:

Each team consists of (5) students in addition to (1) trainer.

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### ELO Uni Goals and Objectives

Working on inclusiveness and inclusion of different segments of society.

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# ELO Uni Participation Conditions.

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